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**PETITION TO EXPEDITE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.182**

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Sir:

This is a Petition to Expedite Processing of the Request For Withdrawal as Attorney or Agent filed in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on February 15, 2007 for the above-identified application.

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